

Thursday, December 6, 1979

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 34890-35006

Bills Introduced: Eleven bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2086-2096; S. Res. 303.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 2094, authorizing \$4 billion in loan guarantees to the Chrysler Corporation (S. Rept. No. 96-463).

S. Res. 303, waiving section 402(a) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 with respect to the consideration of S. 2094, listed above. Referred to the Committee on the Budget.

Special Report allocating budget totals under the Second Concurrent Budget Resolution for fiscal year 1980 (S. Rept. No. 96-464).

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Measure Passed:

Zimbabwe-Rhodesia sanctions: By unanimous vote of 90 yeas, Senate passed S. 2076, requiring the President to lift sanctions against Zimbabwe-Rhodesia unless the President determines that it is not in the national interest to lift the sanctions by (1) the date by which a British Governor has been appointed, has arrived in Zimbabwe-Rhodesia, and assumed duties, or (2) January 31, 1980.

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Vessel sales: Senate passed H.R. 5163, authorizing the sale of certain excess U.S. naval vessels to certain foreign nations.

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N.Y./N.J. Compact: Senate passed H.R. 4943, to grant the consent of Congress to the compact between the States of New York and New Jersey providing for the financing and effectuation of industrial development projects, including related resource recovery facilities, by the Port Authority of New York and New Jersey, after agreeing to Baucus unprinted amendment No. 866, to provide funding for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1980, for the Office of Rail Public Counsel.

Pages 35000-35001

Capitol Police Chief: Senate passed H.R. 5651, establishing the position of Chief of the Capitol Police Force as a Congressional office.

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Statue/Mother Joseph: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 48, to provide for the acceptance of a statue of Mother Joseph of the Sisters of Providence, State of Washington, for the National Statuary Hall collection.

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Printing: Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 184, provid-

ing for the printing of additional copies of House and Senate Judiciary Committee print entitled "7th Edition of the Immigration and Nationality Act with Amendments and Notes on Related Laws."

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Printing: Senate agreed to S. Res. 266, authorizing the printing of a report entitled "The Cost of Clean Air and Water" as a Senate document.

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Foreign Relations funds: Senate agreed to S. Res. 285, requesting \$30,000 from the contingency fund of the Senate for routine expenses of the Committee on Foreign Relations.

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Foreign Relations funds: Senate agreed to S. Res. 286, requesting an additional \$163,000 for operating expenses of the Committee on Foreign Relations.

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Architect/personal service contracts: Senate passed S. 2069, authorizing the Architect of the Capitol to contract for architectural and engineering services with individuals, firms, partnerships, corporations, associates, and others.

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Senators' official expense accounts: Senate agreed to S. Res. 294, to redefine Senatorial official office expenses.

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Health/Dioxins effect: Senate passed S. 2096, to provide for a study by the Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare of the long-term health effects in humans of exposure to dioxins.

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Windfall Profits: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 3919, to impose a windfall profit tax on domestic crude oil, taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto as follows:

Rejected:

(1) By 41 yeas to 47 nays Armstrong amendment No. 695, to provide cost-of-living adjustments in the individual income tax rates and in the amount of personal exemptions. (By 49 yeas to 38 nays Senate agreed to a motion to table a motion to reconsider this amendment.) Senate had earlier agreed to Hart unprinted amendment No. 864, of a perfecting nature to provide that the Joint Committee on Taxation study the effects of indexing.

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(2) By 26 yeas to 60 nays Weicker amendment No. 701, to add a new title establishing a mandatory conservation program to reduce consumption of petroleum products by no less than 5 percent. Senate had earlier agreed to Javits unprinted amendment No. 865, to delete the five percent mandatory conservation target and change the base date for computation of the national and state monthly conservation targets from November 1, 1979 to January 1, 1979.

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(3) Modified Bellmon amendment No. 692, to pro-

vide a credit against the tax based upon increased production. (Motion to table agreed to by 50 yeas to 35 nays.) Page 34940

(4) By 39 yeas to 40 nays Helms amendment No. 632, to reinstate the nonbusiness deduction for State and local taxes on gasoline and other motor fuels. Page 34953

Pending at the recess was Robert C. Byrd (for Hart) amendment No. 711, to provide a tax credit to homebuilders for the construction of residences incorporating certain solar energy utilization characteristics. Pages 35005-35006

Pages 34905, 34908, 34909-34955, 35005-35006

Veterans' Health Care: Senate concurred in the House amendments to the Senate the amendments to H.R. 3892, to review and extend through fiscal year 1982 programs of grants to State homes for veterans and the exchange of medical information, thus clearing the measure for the President. Page 34981-34999

Nomination/Printed Report: Committee on Foreign Relations submitted a written report on the nomination of Sol M. Linowitz, of the District of Columbia, for the rank of Ambassador during his service as Personal Representative to the President, together with minority views (Ex. Rept. 96-26). Page 34962

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations:

H. Carl McCall, of New York, to be the Alternate Representative for Special Political Affairs in the United Nations, with the rank of Ambassador;

Thomas E. Stelson, of Georgia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy (Conservation and Solar Applications);

Harry T. Edwards, of Michigan, to be U.S. Circuit Judge for the District of Columbia Circuit; and

Seventy-nine Air Force nominations in the rank of General. Pages 35006-35007

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Bills Referred: Page 34961

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Nominations: Pages 35006-35007

Record Votes: Six record votes were taken today (Total-461).

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Recess: Senate met at 9:30 a.m., and recessed at 7:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

D.C. SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAM

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the District of Columbia began oversight hearings to review the District of Columbia 1979 Summer Youth Program, receiving testimony from Robert Taggart, Administrator, Office of Youth Programs, Department of Labor; and Mayor Marion Barry, Jr., Gladys W. Mack, Assistant City Administrator for Budget and Resource Development, and William A. Ford, Director, Department of Labor, all of the District of Columbia Government.

Hearings continue on Thursday, December 13.

URBAN MASS TRANSPORTATION ADMINISTRATION/NOMINATION

Committee on Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Theodore Lutz, of Virginia, to be Administrator, Urban Mass Transportation Administration, Department of Transportation, after the nominee testified and answered questions in his own behalf. Testimony was also received from Secretary of Transportation Neil Goldschmidt.

Also, committee concluded hearings on the procedures to be used for the allocation of mass transportation funds by the Department of Transportation, after receiving testimony from Mr. Goldschmidt.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee ordered favorably reported the following measures:

S. 1798, to increase competition in the household goods moving industry and to assure adequate protection for consumers, with amendments;

S. 1390, to upgrade commercial motor vehicle safety standards and to promote the Federal and State enforcement of those standards, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

An original joint resolution establishing U.S. policy with respect to items carried on U.S. space flight missions; and

Two routine Coast Guard nomination lists dated November 28, 1979.

Committee approved NASA's proposed reprogramming of funds for the Jupiter orbit mission (project Galileo).

Also, committee discussed proposed legislation providing for improved domestic and international telecommunications, and rural telecommunications development.

Committee recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported the following bills:

S. 1850, to authorize the conveyance of lands in the city of Hot Springs, Arkansas;

H.R. 2771, to change the name of the Palmetto Bend Reservoir to Lake Texana, in Texas;

H.R. 3756, authorizing additional funds for fiscal years succeeding fiscal year 1980, to provide for medical care and environmental research programs for the Marshall Islands (resulting from U.S. nuclear weapons tests), and to administer and enforce certain taxes and customs duties in the Northern Mariana Islands, Guam, the Virgin Islands, and American Samoa, with amendments;

S. 539, authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to enter into an amended contract with the Vermejo Conservancy District in Maxwell, New Mexico of the remaining repayment obligation for the construction of the project; and

S. 1830, to provide for the establishment of an expanded and intensified research, development, and demonstration program on ocean thermal conversion (OTEC) within the Department of Energy, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

Also, committee began consideration of S. 685, to provide for the storage and disposal of nuclear waste, but did not complete action thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Finance: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

The nomination of Michael B. Smith, of Maryland, to be a Deputy Special Representative for Trade Negotiations, with the rank of Ambassador;

H.R. 2727, modifying the method of establishing quotas on certain meat imports;

H.R. 3122, providing for duty-free entry of certain articles, with amendments. (As approved by the committee the bill incorporates the provisions of H.R. 1212, H.R. 1319, H.R. 2297, H.R. 5441, and S. 1536, all tariff measures);

H.R. 1212, to provide for the duty-free entry for 49 carillon bells for the use of the University of Florida at Gainesville, with amendments. (As approved by the committee the bill includes parts of numerous bills and other proposals);

H.R. 1319, to extend the duty-free period on parts necessary for the completion of the telescope project on Mount Mauna Kea in Hawaii, with amendments. (As approved by the committee the bill includes parts of numerous bills and other proposals);

H.R. 2297, to continue until June 30, 1982, the existing suspension of duties on synthetic rutile, with amend-

ments. (As approved by the committee the bill includes parts of numerous bills and other proposals); and

H.R. 4612, to maintain for an additional three years the current program of services for disabled children receiving Social Security Income benefits, amended.

Committee reconsidered its action of July 12, 1979, when it ordered favorably reported H.R. 934, a private relief bill, and today agreed to a technical and clarifying change in section 227, and again order favorably reported H.R. 934, as amended;

Committee agreed to modify the effective dates of certain health provisions previously approved to make such dates effective July 1, 1980, in accordance with provisions of S. Con. Res. 53, the Congressional Budget Resolution; and

Committee also agreed to an amendment which will be offered to H.R. 1543, to broaden the coverage of assistance to workers and firms that are dislocated as a result of Federal Government policies to encourage increased foreign trade (pending on Senate Calendar).

A press release summarizing the actions taken by the Committee today will be available in the Committee office in 2227 Dirksen Office Building.

CENTRAL AMERICAN AND CARIBBEAN ECONOMIC SUPPORT

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee began hearings on S. 2012, authorizing additional funds for fiscal year 1980 for economic assistance to Nicaragua, receiving testimony from Roger Fontaine, Georgetown Center for Strategic and International Studies, Thomas E. Quigley, U.S. Catholic Conference, and Stephen Hellinger, Development Group for Alternative Policies, Inc., all of Washington, D.C.; Richard Millett, Southern Illinois University, Edwardsville, Illinois; and Walter Duncan, Association of American Chambers of Commerce in Latin America, Managua, Nicaragua.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

YEMEN

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs concluded closed hearings on the current situation in Yemen, after receiving testimony from Joseph W. Twinam, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs; and Robert J. Murray, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Near Eastern, Africa and South Asian Affairs, International Security Affairs, Department of Defense.

FEDERAL AGENCY RULES

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee began hearings on S. 1945, to establish a procedure for Congressional review of Federal agencies' rules and regulations, receiving testimony from Senator Boren; Representatives Fenwick and Pashayan; Jane McGrew,

General Counsel, Department of Housing and Urban Development; Garry Brown, Christopher & Phillips, Charles L. Edson, Lane and Edson, and David C. Evans, Reed, Smith, Shaw, McClay, all of Washington, D.C.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

GAO AUDITING PROCEDURES

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on Energy, Nuclear Proliferation, and Federal Services began consideration of S. 1878 and 1879, bills to extend the authority of the General Accounting Office in areas relating to auditing procedures, but did not complete action thereon.

Prior to consideration the subcommittee concluded hearings on S. 1878 and 1879, after receiving testimony from Lawrence A. Hammond, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legal Counsel, Department of Justice.

UNFAIR FOREIGN COMPETITION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Antitrust, Monopoly, and Business Rights began hearings on S. 938, to allow injured American companies the right to sue a foreign manufacturer for selling below the cost of production and selling in the U.S. market below the price in the home markets, receiving testimony from Lynn J. Barden, Senior Counsel (International Trade and Tariff Affairs), Office of General Counsel, Department of the Treasury; Laird Patterson, Bethlehem Steel Corporation, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania; Paul Beispiel, American Importers Association, New York City; and David Hartquist, representing the Tool and Stainless Steel Industry Committee, and Bart Fisher, both of Washington, D.C.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 22 public bills, H.R. 6046-6067; 2 private bills, H.R. 6068 and 6069; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 459-461, H. Con. Res. 220, and H. Res. 502 were introduced.

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Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 5860, Chrysler Corporation Loan Guarantee Act of 1979, amended (H. Rept. 96-690); and

H.R. 5870, to amend title 5 of the United States Code to improve the second career training program for air traffic controllers, amended (H. Rept. 96-691).

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker

wherein he designates Representative Wright as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Printing: House agreed to H. Res. 469, providing for the printing as a House document of the study entitled "Soviet Diplomacy and Negotiating Behavior: Emerging New Context for United States Diplomacy" which was prepared at the request of the Committee on Foreign Affairs by the Congressional Research Service of the Library of Congress.

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Dispute Resolution: House agreed to H. Res. 488, providing for the consideration of S. 423, to promote commerce by establishing a national goal for the development and maintenance of effective, fair, inexpensive, and expeditious mechanisms for the resolution of consumer controversies.

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Domestic Violence: By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 358 yeas to 32 nays, Roll No. 705, the House agreed to H. Res. 498, providing for the consideration of H.R. 2977, to provide for Federal support and stimulation of State, local, and community activities to prevent domestic violence and assist victims of domestic violence, and for coordination of Federal programs and activities pertaining to domestic violence.

Pages 34820-34824

Subcommittee To Sit: Ad Hoc Select Subcommittee on Maritime Education and Training of the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries received permission to sit today during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule.

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Child Health Assurance: House completed all general debate and began reading for amendment on H.R. 4962, to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to strengthen and improve medicaid services to low-income children and pregnant women; but came to no resolution thereon. Proceedings under the 5-minute rule are scheduled to continue on Tuesday, December 11.

By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 357 yeas to 18 nays, Roll No. 706, the House agreed to resolve itself into the Committee of the Whole.

Agreed To:

The committee amendments, except Nos. 2, 3, and 10; and

Committee amendments Nos. 2, 3, and 10, as amended by substitute amendments (agreed to by a recorded vote of 217 yeas to 169 noes, Roll No. 709), that prohibit funding for medical assistance for abortions except when the life of the mother is endangered.

Rejected:

Amendments to the preceding substitute amendments that sought to also permit medical assistance to terminate a pregnancy resulting from rape or incest (rejected by a recorded vote of 180 yeas to 209 noes, Roll No. 708, after having been previously agreed to by a division vote of 15 yeas to 10 noes);

An amendment that sought to convert the financing

mechanism for CHAP from an entitlement to fixed authorizations subject to the annual appropriations process (rejected by a recorded vote of 152 ayes to 226 noes, Roll No. 710); and

An amendment that sought to require parental consent before family planning services and supplies could be made available to minors (rejected by a division vote of 19 ayes to 20 noes).

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Veterans Medical Services: House agreed, with amendments, to the Senate amendments to H.R. 3892, Veterans Health Programs Extension and Improvement Act of 1979—returning the measure to the Senate.

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Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of December 12. Page 34873

Receive and Sign: Agreed that, notwithstanding any adjournment of the House until Monday, December 10, the Clerk be authorized to receive messages from the Senate and the Speaker be authorized to sign any enrolled bills and joint resolutions duly passed by the two Houses and found truly enrolled.

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Late Reports: Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs received permission to file reports by midnight Friday, December 7, on H.R. 5926, to establish the Biscayne National Park in the State of Florida; and H.R. 4370, to provide certain authority for the Secretary of the Interior to permit rights-of-way for purposes of certain pipeline transportation systems.

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Priority Energy Projects: The Speaker appointed Representative Eckhardt as a conferee in the conference on S. 1308, to provide for an expedited and coordinated process for decisions on proposed nonnuclear energy facilities; vice Representative Seiberling, resigned.

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Public Works and Economic Development: House insisted on its amendments to S. 914, to extend the Appalachian Regional Development Act and title V of the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 and to provide for multistate regional development commissions to promote balanced development in the regions of the Nation; and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Johnson, Roe, Oberstar, Nowak, Bouquard, Evans of Georgia, Harsha, Hammerschmidt, and Clinger; and Representative Moorhead of Pennsylvania only for consideration of certain provisions of section 103 of the House amendment and Senate modifications thereto.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:08 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Agriculture: Began markup of H.R. 5907, Food Stamp Act Amendments of 1980.

AIR FORCE REPROGRAMMING

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development held a hearing on an Air Force reprogramming to provide funds to enable the Air Force to pursue a near-term laser designator for the F-16. Testimony was heard from Under Secretary for Research and Engineering, Department of Defense, William J. Perry.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met and considered pending business.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Elementary, Secondary and Vocational Education held an oversight hearing on innovative school lunch programs. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—PRESSURES IN THE WORKPLACE

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Labor-Management Relations concluded oversight hearings on pressure and intimidation in today's workplace. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

LONGSHOREMEN AND HARBOR WORKERS' COMPENSATION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Labor Standards concluded oversight hearings on Title 33, Section 901, of the Longshoremen's and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act and in particular on H.R. 2448, to amend the Longshoremen's and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act. Testimony was heard from Assistant Secretary of Labor for Employment Standards Administration, Donald Elisburg and public witnesses.

GEO THERMAL ENERGY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining approved for full Committee action as amended H.R. 5187, to establish a forgivable loan program for geothermal reservoir confirmation, to amend existing geothermal leasing and permitting laws.

WILDERNESS PROPOSALS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands held a hearing on the following: S. 2009, to designate certain public lands in central Idaho as the River of No Return Wilderness, to designate a segment of the Salmon River as a component of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System and H.R. 5711, to designate the Central Idaho Wilderness and two other wilderness areas within the Nez Perce, Clearwater, Boise, Payette, Challis, Salmon, and Targhee National Forests; to designate for continued study seven other wildlands within the Panhandle, Clearwater,

Boise, Sawtooth, Challis, and Targhee National Forests; to release for management all other National Forest Lands, all within the State of Idaho. Testimony was heard from Senators Church and McClure; Representatives Hansen and Symms; Assistant Secretary for National Resources and the Environment, USDA, M. Rupert Cutler; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL ENERGY CONSERVATION INCENTIVES ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued markup of H.R. 5726, National Energy Conservation Incentives Act.

Will continue December 11.

FBI CHARTER

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights continued hearings on H.R. 5030, to create a charter for the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

OIL POLLUTION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Navigation and the Subcommittee on Fisheries, Wildlife Conservation, and the Environment held a joint hearing on H.R. 5577, to authorize the Secretary of Transportation to provide compensation for economic loss resulting from oil pollution caused by the blowout of Ixtoc I, Bay of Campeche, Mexico. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses; representatives of State Governments; and public witnesses.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING IN MARITIME SUBJECTS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Ad Hoc Select Subcommittee on Maritime Education and Training held a hearing on H.R. 5451, to provide for education and training in maritime subjects. Testimony was heard from Representative Wolff; Assistant Secretary for Maritime Affairs, U.S. Department of Commerce, Samuel B. Nemirow; Vice Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard, Vice Admiral Robert H. Scarborough; Head, Sealift Mobility and Maritime Affairs Section, Office of the Chief of Naval Operations, Department of the Navy, Captain Robert K. Leopold; and representatives from State Maritime Academies.

Hearings continue December 11.

AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL SYSTEM

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation held a hearing on the safety of the Air Traffic Control System. Testimony was heard from Representatives Corcoran, Harkin and Goldwater; Mayor, City of San Diego, California, Pete Wilson; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue December 11.

ENERGY JURISDICTION

Select Committee on Committees: Concluded hearings on energy jurisdiction. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

DOE AUTHORIZATIONS

Conferees continued to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 673, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1980 and 1981 for national security programs of the Department of Energy, but did not complete action thereon and recessed subject to call.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Conferees agreed to file a conference on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 5359, making appropriations for fiscal year 1980 for the defense establishment.

Friday, December 7, 1979

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 35043-35125

Bills Introduced: Seven bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2097-2103; S. Res. 304 and 305.

Pages 35106, 35115-35116

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 2727, modifying the method of establishing quotas on certain meat imports (S. Rept. No. 96-465).

S. 1654, to improve the Federal judicial machinery relating to international trade in the United States, and to establish a U.S. Court of International Trade, with an amendment (S. Rept. No. 96-466).

H.R. 3756, authorizing additional funds for fiscal years succeeding fiscal year 1980, to provide for medical care and environmental research programs for the Marshall Islands (resulting from U.S. nuclear weapons tests), and to administer and enforce certain taxes and customs duties in the Northern Mariana Islands, Guam, the Virgin Islands, and American Samoa, with an amendment (S. Rept. No. 96-467).

S. 1730, declaring that title to certain lands in New Mexico are held in trust by the United States for the Ramah Band of the Navajo Tribe (S. Rept. No. 96-468).

S.J. Res. 108, to validate the effectiveness of certain plans for use or distribution of funds to pay judgments awarded to Indian tribes, with amendments and a preamble (S. Rept. No. 96-469).